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Applicant(s): Krishnaswamy RAMKUMAR et al.

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For: METHOD FOR GROWING ULTRA THIN NITRIDED OXIDE

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

FEE TRANSMITTAL
AMENDMENT, INCLUDING ATTACHMENTS (2)
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
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Respectfully submitted,

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## **FEE TRANSMITTAL**

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